RESOLUTION NO.	
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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWENTY 2024 FORD INTERCEPTOR UTILITY AWD VEHICLES FROM LONNIE COBB FORD UTILIZING TENNESSEE STATE CONTRACT NO.: 80355; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PURCHASE ORDER FOR THE SAME

WHEREAS, staff recommends purchasing twenty (20) 2024 Ford Interceptor Utility all wheel drive vehicles from Lonnie Cobb utilizing TN State Contract # 80355 for use by the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, local governments are allowed to use state contracts to purchase goods and services directly from holders of contracts with the state, as authorized by Tenn. Code Ann. §12-3-1201; and

WHEREAS, the twenty (20) 2024 Ford Interceptor Utility AWD Vehicles are available pursuant Tennessee State Contract 80355, and the city will need to submit purchase orders to Lonnie Cobb Ford for \$1,098,180.00; and

WHEREAS, the funding is available in project/account # 51150085019010 & NC2409 111-0000-601-2056.

Now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the city manager is authorized to execute a purchase order to Lonnie Cobb Ford for the purchase of twenty (20) 2024 Ford Interceptor Utility AWD Vehicles in the amount of \$1,098,180.00.

SECTION II. That the board finds that the actions authorized by this resolution are for a public purpose and will promote the health, comfort, and prosperity of the citizens of the city.

SECTION III. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

ADOPTED this the 16th day of April, 2024.

ATTEST:	PATRICK W. SHULL, MAYOR	
ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY C	CITY RECORDER	
APPROVED	AS TO FORM:	
RODNEY B.	ROWLETT, III, CITY ATTORNEY	